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Transmitted herewith for filing is the new provisional-to-utility patent application of:

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FOR: **METHOD OF AFFINITY PURIFYING PROTEINS USING MODIFIED
BIARSENICAL FLUORESCIEIN**

Enclosed are the following papers, including all those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR § 1.53(b):

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This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e)(1) to U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/ , filed January 24, 2000, the contents of which are incorporated by reference in its entirety herein.

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